## JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Tells of Garden Fete for Canteen Work Benefit, She Hears Comtesse de Bryas Talk-Jeannette Rankin Coming Here

DID you go out to Cynwyd today to at- , the soldier. "My, my!" he remarked. tend the fete at the William B, Sheppard's place? Weil, you ought to have, for it's certainly beautiful. Mrs. Sheppard is head of the canteen work of the Independence Square Auxiliary of the American Red Cross, and has working under her two bands of women, fifty each in number.

It is necessary to raise funds for this work, and so Mrs. Sheppard, who is heart and soul interested in this active work for the soldiers, opened her lovely place to a garden fete, and interested a number of her friends in the affair, and this afternoon's is a most attractive party.

Card tables are placed under the trees in the woods and there are a variety of

Mrs. R. Y. Hughes is in charge of the card tables, Mrs. J. S. W. Holton and Mrs. David Ellis are selling cake "a la Hoover"; tea is served by Mrs. George H. Stephenson, Mrs. W. E. Haupt and Mrs. John H. Yardley; Mrs. Alexander Fox and Mrs. H. Bartol Frazier are selling flowers and Mrs. William Carmalt Scull and Mrs. Josephine McClure have a booth for vegetables and fruit. There is a lemonade booth, too; a midway and a cigarette table. Mrs. Thomas Stewart, Mrs. Schoff, the Misses Baker, Miss Eglen, Mrs. Walter Clothier and Mrs. Walter Blabon have these in charge, while at the gate are Mrs. Peter Boyd and Mrs. Springer

AND, speaking of the Independence Square Auxiliary of the American Red Cross work-for, as I said, the canteen work is attached to that auxiliary-I stopped in at the rooms at 608 Chestnut etreet yesterday afternoon to hear the Comtesse de Bryas, who talked to the workers for a short hour. She was very charming in her French blue frock and picture hat and had a great deal to tell us. She seemed so bright and joyous in spite of the horrors she had gone through with the refugees of France, and she had some such heartbreaking things to tell us. Somehow she made me think of the country she impersonated; suffering so in tensely, but brave, smiling and undaunted in spite of everything. Surely such indomitable courage with so much heart will conquer the enemy of the world. Germany cannot conquer morale such as that of France, England and these United

The comtesse is staying here with her cousin, Mrs. Edwin Swift Balch, before going out West to talk to a number of large audiences.

There was one special little story she told that touched every woman listening to her. I'm sure. It was of the arrival through Switzerland of a train with 600 little French children, who were being sent back to France by Germany, parted from their mothers, who were being kept to till the soil of occupied France. One beautiful little child of about three and one-half years had tied around her neck her name and this name together with others was published in the French papers.

About a month later a soldier called at the house where the little child was and asked to see her. He looked at the baby this little girl is mine, but I cannot be sure. She was only six months old when she and her mother were torn from their home and sent to northern France by the Germans." Suddenly he had a happy though, and from his pocket he drew forth the photograph of a sweet-looking French girl and showed it to the baby. Straightway the little child's face broke into smiles and she murmured, "Maman! Maman!" It was his little girl!

This was, however, a remote case. Think of the hundreds of little children who are separated from their parents at just as tender an age, whose fathers have been perhaps killed and who may never hear from their mothers again.

To show the wonderful work the American fund for French refugees has been able to accomplish, do you know that mother was finally reached and brought back to her husband and child, and now, though he is back in the trenches, the mother and little child are in one of the rehabilitated villages which have not been taken by the Germans in the present drive, and which, judging by the work of the Allied armies at present, will not be taken, for the tide is again turning. They will never get to Paris.

AREN'T you rather thrilled to think of the opportunity to hear Jeannette Rankin speak here on Thursday? She's coming to address the Hahnemann Hospital graduates at the Garrick. The first time she has spoken in this city, you know. I've always wanted to see her, and I'll surely try to go. The one woman member of Congress.

TT REALLY is perfectly wonderful the work that women are doing these days. And how the men do appreciate it, too! A hard-working soldier from "a nearby camp" was home on pass recently, and was amazed to see girls in uniform all over Chestnut street, and, of course, on Broad and Walnut and Spruce, too, but principally Chestnut-in blue, khaki or gray, according to their branch of the service. And every time he went into an office building he ran into a neat, capablelooking woman where there used to be "just clerks" in mohair office coats. It was remarkable and he was open-mouthed and wide-eyed in admiration. The same evening he went out read long, delightful ride through the cool country, sitting in the back seat of a great big Cadillac, letting somebody else do the work for a while. Of course, there was the inevitable stroy couple here and there at the side Finally the car brushed past country girls, one of whom had her arm affectionately placed across the e's shoulders. It was too much for

"Women doing men's work! I see it everywhere!" NANCY WYNNE.

#### Social Activities

Miss Dorothy Fuller, daughter of Colonel uller, U. S. M. C., and Mrs. Fuller will give small dance on Tuesday evening, June 11, n honor of Miss Emilie Eleanor Owens, laughter of Major Arthur B. Owens, U. S. C., and Mrs. Owens, whose marriage to Mr. J. Chandler Barnard, of Bryn Mawr, will take place on June 12.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis Mayer, who have been spending a few weeks at the Waynewood, Wayne, will leave on Saturday for the Gladstone, at Chelsen, where they and their small daughter. Mary Lewis Mayer,

Mrs. Samuel Crozer, of 1707 Locust street, will spend the summer at Northeast Harbor, Me. Lieutenant Crozer is in France.

Mrs. Edward S. Willing and her son. Mr. Edward S. Willing, Jr., are staying at Charlcote, Bryn Mawr, as the guests of Mrs. Willing's sister, Miss Louisa Rawle, having recently returned from St. Croix, where Major Willing, U. S. M. C., was on duty.

Mrs. Beach Chenowith, of 2314 South Twenty-first street, has taken a cottage at Ventnor for the summer months. Paymaster Chenowith, U. S. N., is stationed at League

Miss Beatrice K. Creagar, of Wynnewood, will give an informal tea on Saturday afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock.

Members of the New Century Club, 124 South Twelfth street, will be guests of the School of Horticulture for Women at Ambler at its meeting today.

Mrs. E. Gehring Harkness, of Queen lane, spent the week-end at Atlantic City with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Walton.

Mrs. Andrew A. Griffith and her sister, Miss Laura M. Good, of 3308 Fairmount avenue, have returned home after spending the week-end at the home of their sister, Mrs. John W. Holzher, of West Chester. John W. Holzher, of West Chester, were accompanied by Miss Anna J.

Mrs. William Henry Rose, of Ambler, announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Anna Benjetta Silvis, and Lieutenant Kenneth Stewart Roiston, of the 313th Infantry, which took place yesterday at Baltimore, Md. Lieutenant and Mrs. Rolston left imme-diately after the wedding for a trip to Wash-

Friends of Corporal F. Clyge Michel, of 6427 North Twenty-first street, Germantown, will be glad to know that he has arrived

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Estes are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter, Anne Estes, May 26.

Among the interesting June weddings will be that of Miss Lynda Scheele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scheele, of 2217 Hunting Park avenue, and Mr. Walter S. Propert, of 154 West Louden street, which will take place at noon on Tuesday, June 11, in the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Nativity,



Photo by Marceau. MISS BERTHA SHORTLAND Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Shortland, whose engagement to Mr. W. Kendall Miller has been announced

Pioga and Seventeenth streets. Attending the bride will be her sister, Mrs. William Thom-son, matron of honor: Miss Alma Taubel, of Newark, N. J., and Miss Tilla Gansz, bridesmaids. Mr. Thomas Moyer will be the bride

Miss Marie Hunt Lam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Lam, of 3412 North Twenty-first street, and Mr. H. Arthur Engelman, formerly of London, England, will be married on Wednesday evening, June 12, in the Hotel Adelphia. The service will be followed by a dinner-dance. The bride has selected her sister, Miss Dena Lam, for maid of honor, and Miss Sara Maybaum for bridesmaid. Mr. Alfred C. Lam, the bride's brother, will be Mr. Engelman's hest man Mr. Engelman's best man.

The marriage of Miss Sara E. Greenberg. of this city, to Mr. Soloman Getzow, os Bal-timore, has just been announced by Mrs. E. Greenberg. The marriage took place on Sun-day. Mr. and Mrs. Getzow will make their home in Atlantic City.

An automobile party from Roxborough visiting Nisgara Falls, Buffalo, Binghamton, N. Y., and Easton, Pa., included Mrs. Joseph Balz, Miss Iona Jones, Miss Myrtle Katzenbach, Miss Edith Katzenbach, Mr. John Geb hardt, Mr. William Trimbur and Mr. Samuel

Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenblatt and their son, Mr. Herbert Rosenblatt, of 1236 West Erie avenue, left on Saturday to spend the sum-mer in Atlantic City.

#### ONE MAN WINS EIGHT PRIZES IN PHARMACY

Eight prizes annually awarded by the lege of Pharmacy to members of the gradu-ating class of the college were won this year by H. B. Snyder. This fact became known.

by H. B. Snyder. This fact became known yesterday at the annual meeting of the association in the college building. 145 North Tenth street. Mr. Snyder received a gold medal and seven certificates for efficient work. The association welcomed into its membership the 105 graduates.

The following officers were elected: President, J. N. G. Long; vice president, R. P. Flachel; second vice president, Dr. W. D. Robinson; treasurer, C. C. Meyer; recording secretary, J. W. England; corresponding secretary, R. Z. Bleckwood.

### INTERESTED IN GARDEN FETE



MRS. JOSEPH PRIESTLY BUTTON

Three active workers for the garden

fete to be given on Saturday at Castana, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alba B.

Johnson, for the benefit of the social service of Jefferson Hospital and Con-

valescent Home for Men at Wayne

Sunday Programs Meanwhile At-

tract Thousands of Soldiers and

Sailors to Country Resort

Formal opening of the new country club

house for enlisted men. at Rockledge, Mont-

gomery County, will be on July 4. This

opening has been postponed from time to

time and it was thought at one time it could

be held during the first part of June. Bad

In the meantime, the splendid programs

of entertainment given each Sunday con-

tinue. These are for the benefit of the en-

listed men of this and neighboring sections

and the attendance each Sunday of several

thousand soldiers and sailors and invited

guests is attesting the excellence of the entertainment provided.

of tennis, boxing, track meets, swimming in the great outdoor pool, or listening to the excellent navy band which furnishes music for each of these events.

these athletic meets that the traction con

pany has been forced to put on additional cars, while plans are being made to add several thousand feet to the grand stand,

For those who are hungry, the services o

the excellent kitchen are at their disposal

nuts, popcorn and temperance drinks are

One of the unique features of the athletic

paraphernalia is the movable boxing booth, which can be wheeled at will into the center of the athletic field and a real live bout

BRANCH EMERGENCY AID BUSY

North Philadelphia Women Planning Many

Activities

branch of the Emergency Aid, with head-quarters in the Hunting Park guardhouse, has planned several entertainments to raise funds for the relief work of the organization.

Tomorrow afternoon there will be a musical

at the residence of Mrs. Arthur Kupke, 4231

The evening of June 13 there will be a

benefit performance at the Wayne Palace

Theatre, Germantown avenue and Duncar

Philadelphia branch and the Sailors and Sol-

party at the Five Point Club, 4825 Broad street. June 19 there will be

toint benefit of the

Photo by Photo-Crafters.

MRS. FRANK BLACK

Of 2200 De Lancey place, who has be appointed chairman of the farm wor

The recently organized North Philadelphia

Hot dogs, sandwiches, light lunches, can be had at a moment's notice, while

which is being taxed to capacity

available at all times.

staged in the open.

North Ninth street.

So large have been the crowds attending

given as the reasons for the delay

WILL OPEN JULY 4

CLUB AT ROCKLEDGE

# PROMPT RESPONSE TO RED CROSS CALL

Ten-Day Campaign for Nurses Opens Auspiciously in Philadelphia

Nurses in Philadelphia and its vicinity are facing the crucial moment wherein they must decide whether they will throw themselves into the service demanded of them by their The fine patriotic spirit of love and serv

ice prevalent among them is demonstrated by the readiness with which they are offering themselves in this city for service unde the flag. The ten-day campaign for recruits had an auspicious opening yesterday. The Red Cross has asked for 15,000 nurses

o be recruited before December 31. From Philadelphia and contiguous communities the quota is 1461. Each Red Cross auxiliary connected with the Pennsylvania-Delaware division is primed and ready to induct all nurses who offer themselves into the service. The American Red Cross has issued the following information, defining every phase of the Red Cross work and designed to assist in clearing the situation to those feel the call of duty and would make a de-

WHAT IS THE RED CROSS NURSING SERVICE?

The Red Cross nursing service was organized primarily as a reserve for the Army and Navy Nursa Corns, and supplies nurses as needed to the Federal Public Health Service and for duty directly under the supervision of the American Red Cross.

2. HOW DO YOU PAROLI, AS A RED CROSS

Apply to secretary of nearest local committee on nursing service, or your division director, or for department of nursing, American Red Cross, Washinston D. C. for smalleation blanks, which should be filled out in amplicantly handwriting and returned to secretary of local committee. Blank of those enrolling for town and country nursing service should be sent directly to Red Cross, headquarters, in Washinston.

Nurses desiring ceneral information regarding field Cross work should haddress Department of Nursing, American Red Cross, Washinston, D. C.

3. WHEN SHOULD YOU ENROLL? 3. WHEN SHOULD YOU ENROLL?

Today:
Nirses are needed now. Five thousand are wanted now and approximately 25,000 will be needed before the end of the year.

4. WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE RED CROSS NURSING SERVICE? RED CROSS NURSING SERVICE?
Graduates of a recognized school for nurses, siving at least two vests course of training in a sent-thoughts. In States where registration a sent-thoughts. In States where registration of the sent that the cligible for enrollment, must be registered. She must be at least twenty-one years of age.

WHAT ARE THE PHYSICAL STANDARDS? During the period of the war a physical ex-smination certificate should be filed with other application papers at time of corollment. WHERE DO RED CROSS NURSES SERVE? Their service may be in this country or abroad. Service abroad is not guaranteed.

7. CAN NURSES CHOOSE RETWEEN SERVICE ABROAD OR IN THE UNITED STATES? They are under orders of the United States Government and are sent wherever they are needed most though preferences of nurses will be given consideration when conditions of serv-CAN A NURSE PAROLI, FOR SERVICE OTHER THAN MILITARY?

OTHER THAN MILITARY?

The Nursing Denariment of the American Red Cross maintains an extensive Public Health and Sanitary Service, both in this country and abroad —also a rural nursing service known as the town and country nursing service. Requirements for enrollment are substantially the same as for military service. WHAT ARP THE DUTIES OF A RED CROSS NURSE?

CROSS NURSE?

Red Cross Nurses assigned to duty in military hospitals are charged with the nursing care of the sick and wounded of the army and navy and become temporarily members of the army and navy and resultations governing the service.

Nurses in the public health and sanitary service and in the control of communicable diseases and, like the Red Cross town and country nurses, are expected to aid in maintaining the health of the individuals in their community.

10. WHAT IS THE LENGTH OF SERVICE? 10. WHAT IS THE LENGTH OF SERVICE?
Red Cross nurses appointed for service in the
military establishment or elsewhere during war
ines expected to remain as long as the emergency
lasts, unless the need of their services ceases to
exist. They may, however, he relieved from
duty at any time in case of misconduct, or should
their services prove unsatisfactory;

11. WHAT RECREATIONAL FEATURES ARE I. WHAT RELATIONES ARE

Leaves of sheence are granted from time to time as the exisencies of the service norm? The surgeon general's office is making every effort to provide comfortable living quarters for the nurses. The Red Cross has completed plans for a house for nurses at every army camp in the Timited States. These houses will consist of an assembly hall library, sewing room and stichen, the assembly hall has been so planned as to make it suitable for dancing, receptions, a lounging room and the showing of motion pictures.

The minimum salary for service in the United

nurses.

13. CAN MEMBERS OF THE ARMY AND NAVY
INTURE CORPS OBTAIN GOVERNMENT
INSURANCE?

NIRSE INSURANCE?
Tes. The war risk insurance provides for members of the army and navy nurse corps against total disability and death on the same hasis as for officers and entired men of the army and navy of the United States. Insurance up to \$10,000 can be obtained at nominal rates. The act provides that, without taking out this insurance, a nurse who, in the course of her duties, is totally disabled is given compensation of \$30 per month for the period of such disability. And in case of death her widowed mother, or beneficiary would receive \$20 per month for a period not exceeding 240 months. WHAT PROVISIONS GOVERN THE RE-SPONSE TO CALL?

All Red Cross nurses, except those who are exempted, are expected to report to their respective local committees, stating the date on which they will be available for service, and should, after that time, hold themselves in readiness for duty. 15. Norses volunteering for service are ursed not to give up their positions unless definitely re-quested to do so. WHAT UNIFORMS DO RED CROSS

Special uniforms have been adopted by the army and navy, and specifications concerning the army and be sent out before assignment to duty same will be sent out before assignment to duty for the uniform and equipment is furnished by the Red Cross. Members of the town and country nursing service wear a blue uniform, including a coat and hat, which they are capeted to provide. are expected to provide.

17. MUST NURSES PAY TRAVELING EX-

Items of news for the society page will be accepted and printed in the Evening Public Ledger, provided they are written on one side of the namer only and are signed will uil name and telephone number of the sender, as it must be needed to verify the notes. Address "Speicty Editor." Evening Public Ledger, 606 Chestant Street.

# FOR EXOTIC DRUGS

### Discoveries Expected as Result of Plant Cultivation at College of Pharmacy

When the war checked the importation of some of the essential drugs used in this country American pharmacists rose to the mergency with true American spirit and aid. "Why worry? We will soon produce omething just as good as those alien drugs." On the roof garden of the Philadelphia ollege of Pharmacy, where students of that istitution investigate soils and the effect thereof on growing plants; also observe cause and effects of climatic conditions, there are hundreds of baby plants growing under the supervision of Prof H. W. Youngken, head of the department of botany, and scores of useful facts will be added to the already heavy supply of information on hand during the summer months, when he expects to pursue his investigation alone. The College of Pharmacy this year turned

out more than a hundred students, fifteen of whom were women. It is believed that more of the latter than ever before will enter this and every other institution of like design next fall, as the colleges are encouraging women to take up this profession be-cause of the great need of releasing trained male pharmacists for service at the front. Professor Youngken pronounces the woman pharmacist, taken by and large, fully the equal of the man in her line. He says their ability as pharmacists is of a high order and is cordial in his invitation to the

feminine tyro of pharmacy to come into the roof garden and study along with the men weather and difficult working conditions are next winter. It will not be surprising if, under the incessant scrutiny given to the infant, tansy rue, colt's foot, rhubarb, sumac, boneset, ash and other old-fashioned herbs whose efficacy was a fixed belief among people of an-other generation, new properties and new uses may soon be discovered. In the new discoveries to be made by the college ex-

For these who do not care for baseball plenty of amusement is furnished in the way the present will be mere also-rans in the drug world of the future.

Few foreign medicines of herbaceous origin now exist, according to the troof of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, that have not an equally good substitute in the gar-dens of this country.

Students there have b ination of the seeds of the foxglove and following its habits of growth to determine whether the Siberica digitalis may not it time become as valuable to science as the purpurea digitalis, a more difficult and inaccessible variety. The digitalis originates with the simple plant known as the foxglove and its value to medicine is tremendous because of its action on the heart Belladopna is also one of the plants grown for the investiga-tion of the students. This, however, has lready been grown successfully around Philadelphia for the last eight or ten years. Abseathlum, the herb from which absinthe, the drug whose use has been so abused as to require legislation, is undergoing cultivation because of its quality as a depressant. Cas-cara sagrada is another. Boneset, the oldtime remedy for colds, and "colt's foot," the expectorant; camphora cinnamomum, from whose bark comes the camphor, is still another important medicinal plant that is rearing its nead some three feet high and has been watched with scientific eagerness by th

Hosts of other plants, running almost the whole gamut of American-made drugs, are already flourishing in the roof garder

### SALE FOR EMERGENCY AID Committee on Supplies Holds Event at 1724

Chestnut Street

A rummage sale is being held today at 1724 Chestnut street under the management of the committee of supplies of the Emergency Aid.

The sale is in charge of Mrs. Rodman E. Griscom, chairman; Mrs. Robert C. Wright, vice chairman, and Miss C. H. Dixon, secre-

The proceeds are for the benefit of the British-American, the French and the Italian ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Carmack, of Atlantic City, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ella Malatesta Carmack to Mr. Howard Jewell Steel, son of Mr. and Mrs. David W. Steel, of this city. No date has been set for the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, of Holmesburg,

announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Louise Cook, to Mr. Jacob Albert Munch, of Tioga. Mr. Munch is at present stationed at Columbus, O. Miss Cecilia Catherine McCarron, of this

city, announces the engagement of her sister, Miss Kathryn Frances McCarron, to Mr. Erie Daniel Baugher, also of this city Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Levy, of 621 South

Eighth street, announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Freida Levy, to Mr. Max well F. Baker, also of this city, at a party in well F. Baker, also of this city, at a party in honor of Miss Levy on Sunday evening. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Levy, Mr. and Mrs. George Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Max B. Kohn. Mr. and Mrs. J. Gomobrow. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Levy, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Levy, Miss Freida Levy, Miss Sadte Levy, Mrs. Sara Miller, Miss Reba Baker, Miss Rae Zimmerman. Miss Eather Morganstein. Miss Sadie De Fine, Miss Kath-iven Durbin. Miss Cecita Feldman, Miss Ludith Vern Durbin. Miss Cecita Feldman, Miss Ludith Morganstein, Miss Sadie De Fine, Miss Kathryn Durbin, Miss Ceclia Feldman, Miss Judith
Y. Kaplan, Miss Elizabeth Kaskey, Miss M.
Levy, Mr. Maxweil F. Baker, Mr. Harry
Richard Strauss, Mr. Nat. Cipiet, Mr. William
Kaiserman, Mr. Jack Weiss, Mr. Maxweil
Levy, Mr. Abraham Margolis, Mr. Joseph
Corman, Mr. Michael Barrish, Mr. Harry
Kohn, Mr. Nathaniel Krengel, Master Sydney
Kohn and Master Schyler Kohn.

## SUMMER CARNIVAL AT PENNSY WANTS WOM FALLS OF SCHUYLKILL

#### Citizens' Patriotic Committee Will Hold Fete Beginning Thursday and Continuing All Week

Elaborate preparations are being made for the summer carnival to be given on Dobson's Athletic Field by the Falls of Schuylkill citizens' patriotic committee in aid of its work for the 465 soldiers and sailors from the section. The festivities will begin on Thurs-day afternoon, and will continue each aftertoon and evening for ten days. There will be French. Belgian, Italian, British sol-diers and sailors' booths, each decorated appropriately by an expert. The amusement propriately by an expert. The amusements will include hobby-horses, razzle-dazzle, Kelly slides, paimistry, dancing and automobile rides, directed by Mr. James Lawson and M. W. Homewood. Mrs. Alfred R. Byrne will have charge of the ice cream booth, where tall palms and vines on trellises will add to the cooling effect of the frozen custard. Assisting Mrs. Byrne will be Mrs. William Goradon Mrs. April Sweitz and Miss Grace. Mrs. Annie Swartz and Miss Grace

Sandwiches, coffee and the picnic extras will be dispensed at the booth in charge of hirs James Lawson and Mrs. William T. Gray. Mrs. Charles West, assisted by Miss Mary Stehle and Miss Mary Kyle, will pre-gide at the candy booth, while the lemonade, cakes and crackers will be found at the "over-the-top" booth, in charge of Mrs. Albert Harwick.

Hand-embroidered scarfs and all sorts of dainty fancy articles have been donated for Mrs. William Caruthera's booth. Miss Ella Beaumont and Mrs. George Weer are her assistants. Miss Alice Schwenck, an expert palmist, will tell fortunes, and Miss Mary Bonoma will direct the fishing in the fish

The Falls Young Men's Improvement As-The Falls Y-aing Men's Improvement Association will sell cooling soft drinks, and the young men of the Literary Institute will have charge of the dancing. Mr. John Porter 's managing the affair, and Mrs. E. Gehring Harkness is directing the entertainments, which include moving pictures, singing by the Falls Male Chorus, and on Saturday evening a show by a number of talented soldiers from Camp Dix. from Camp Dix.

Among those taking an active part in the entertaining and patriotic event are Mrs Elizabeth Dobson Altemus, honorary presi-dent of the patriotic committee; Mr. Theodent of the patriotic committee; Mr. Theo-dore MacKenzie, president; Mr. John Kyle, vice president; Mr. Charles Bathwell, secre-tary; Mr. John Wyatt, assistant secretary; Mr. Joseph Lally, treasurer; Mrs. Rachel Gray, Mrs. William Gordon, Mrs. Mary Cleary, Mrs. W. Bonoma, Miss Elizabeth Kelly, Mrs. Rannah Hardwick, Miss Mary Flynn, Miss Eleanor Byrne, Miss Alice Fox. Mrs. Charles Schradel, Miss Sara Hampshire, Miss Jennie Gallagher, Miss Marlan Byrne, Mrs, Charles Schradel, Miss Sara Hampshire, Miss Jennie Galiagher, Miss Marian Byrne, Miss Mary McCarty, Miss Annie Flynn, Miss Geraldine Gordon, Miss Alice Barlow, Mrs. Marian Cole, Miss Anna Lawson, Miss Ruth Carwardine, Miss Marian Gray, Miss Isabel Gray, Miss Helen Mahoney, Mrs. George Hamilton, Mrs. Charles McIlvaine, Mrs. An-nie Flanagan, Miss Mary Ryan, Mrs. James mie Flanagan. Miss Mary Ryan, Mrs. James Maguire. Miss Hannah Fox. Miss Mary Burk. Miss Annie Foyle, Mrs. F. Casey, Mrs. W. Beaumont, Miss Elsie MacKenzie, Ziss Rose Maguire, Miss Agnes Maguire, Miss Grace Walker. Mrs. Harry Binkin, Mrs. James Cunningliam, Miss Katharine Jones, Mrs. Thomas Burk, Mrs. William Tawl, Miss May Ryan, Mr. John J. Bergin, Jr. Mr. George Markey, Mr. William Buckland, Mr. M. J. Rowley, Mr. John Groves, Mr. William Jones, Mr. Jesse Riggali, Mr. and Mrs. John Stinson, Mr. Edward Jones, Mr. John Whitaker, Mr. William Ferguson, Mr. Joshua Whitaker, Mr. Benjamin Mitchell, Mr. William J. Benham, Mr. Robert Boardman, Mr. Herbert Russell, Mr. Thomas Wilcox, Mr. H. B. Cole and Mr. Herbert Johnson.

## FAMINE OF HAIRPINS NEW HORROR OF WAR

#### Women of England Already Driven to Barber and American Sisters Are Trembling

A word of warning comes to American

women from across the water, "Save your hairpins!" Even if you have half a dozen packages on hand don't get reckless and let them

you see him surreptitiously sneak a few from your dressing table. Tell him that there is a war on and that he cannot have your hairpins to clean his pipe nor to hang paper shade over his light nor for any of other wasteful and idiotic habits Women of England are facing a hairpin famine. There is a less than three months

supply in the country, it is said, and the authorities who control the issue of metals ave decided that these valuable materials shall not be given to women to be scattered proadcast with women's habitual lavishness Women as a last resort are hesitating be ween cutting off their tresses and braiding hem into pigtails. The general choice prom ses to be in favor of the former and it is oggested that the cast-off locks be ciankets, coats, sweaters and covers for hotvater bottles. Many bigarre designs in haircuts have been developed, it is said, and the woman of taste may select a style that is

subtly expressive of her personality. Men who from an innate sense of conomy have been in the habit of collecting hairning from the corners of chairs, picking them up from the carpets in the train of their wives and hoarding them half-consciously in their tobacco tins now stand to realize fortunes. They may sell the hairpins as curios and relics or dispose of them one at a time to extravagant women at a fabulous profit.

As yet American women are not in danger of being deprived of this aid to hairdressing but it is suggested that framed mottoes be oung above dressing tables to the effect that 'Hairpins won't win the war, but don't waste

Thank Judge Who Named Woman Wilmington, Del., June 4.—Members of the local suffrage association have sent a letter to Resident Judge Herbert L. Rice thanking im for naming Mrs. Charles Copeland as park commissioner in Wilmington, the first woman to be named to a similar position in Delaware.

# GARRICK THEATRE "THERE IS FIRE AND PATRIOTISM IN EVERY FOOT OF FILM. THE APPEAL OF THE PICTURE IS IMMENSE."—North

SECOND MONTH D. W. Griffith's Supreme Triumph TAPIS EVORE

The Sweetest Love Story Ever Told A Romance of the Great War Evgs. & Sat. Mat., 25c to \$1.50 DAILY MATS .- 25c to \$1

FORREST WEEK Monday, June 10
TWICE DAILY
THEREAFTER 2:15, 8:16
Following the Fing to France
Auspiece U. S. Government Pershing's Crusaders Prices Mats. 25, 50c Seats Ever. No WAR TAX

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE THE SPANISH DANCERS "ALL FOR DEMOCRACY"

# ALTHOUGH IT HAS

#### Costly Substitutes for Men, Examiner, but War Makes Them Necessary

"Women are the salvation of the race." he emphatic assertion of J. K. Linn, iner for the Pennsylvania Railroad, in an in terview today concerning the employment

omen by that company. "We are employing about 6000 of them of the lines east of Pittsburgh," he went on "and we are going to use all we can got Too many healthy, husky men are holding down women's jobs, and too many men's jobs are going begging.

"Most of these women are filling cierical and stenographic positions, but we have a school of telegraphy and train-dispatching for them, and we are experimenting with them is

"Then you believe women can be trained to perform the mechanical work of the railroad shops?" he was asked. "Undoubtedly. They will have to be, The

work must be done. They cannot be trained so quickly, nor will they ever be so efficient individually as men. They come to us too

smile with which Mr. Lynn said this, "When would you have them come?" he was asked. "Well, about 200 years before they are born. You see, they are totally unfitted by tradition, as well as by previous education, for mechanical work. The boy is playing with a train of cars at his first Christman tree, while the girl is attending strictly to

"And, understand me, that is as it should be. The mother is the ideal of the race, and anything that detracts from her womanilness is a crime. But this is war, and it

Mr. Linn added that the training of women had been expensive. "We are doing all we can, but the time and the men that takes to break them in is a heavy tax," he said. "I have advocated the establishment of training spheads." said. "I have advocated the establishment of training schools. I have even suggested the using of the public schools and trade school through the vacation months for an intensiv course in railroad mechanics."

Mr. Linn was asked if he thought employment of women would be satisfactory from an economic point of view.

"No." was his reply. "Living conditions, everything, compel us to pay women virtually the same wages as men, and they cannot do the work. It takes two, sometimes four, women to replace one man. We are employing them simply as a makeshift.

There is no lack of either men or to do clerical work. They drift in and out of here by the dozen. But they don't wan to work. Offer the men a real man's lot and they quickly shake their heads."



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